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FOR: METHOD OF PROCESSING SEISMIC DATA ACQUIRED BY MEANS OF MULTI-COMPONENT SENSORS

## 37 CFR 1.322 & 37 CFR 1.323 REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION FOR USPTO AND/OR APPLICANT MISTAKE

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following is a request for a certificate of correction in Serial Number 10/576,827, now Patent Number 7,889,597.

A certificate of correction under 35 USC 254 is respectfully requested in the above-identified patent.

Some of the errors were the fault of the applicant and, accordingly, the fee of \$100.00 is enclosed.

The exact locations where the errors appear in the patent and patent application are as follows:

In Fig. 2, Sheet 1 of 2, delete "Minimization of  $R_{trsv}(g_{ref})|^2$ " and insert – Minimization of  $|R_{trsv}(g_{ref})|^2$  – –, therefor. (ORIGINALLY FILED SPECIFICATION, IN THE DRAWINGS DATED APRIL 24, 2006, SHEET 1/2 (PAGE 236 OF FW), FIGURE 2)

In Column 5, Lines 22-23, delete

 $\begin{array}{ll} \textit{m}_k = & Rpp \, \cos(\psi) \delta pp_k + (Rps \, \cos(\theta_k - \phi) + \delta Rps \, \cos(\theta_k + \phi - \phi) \\ & 2\alpha) \sin(\psi) \delta ps^k \end{array} \qquad \text{and insert --} \\ \textit{m}_k = & Rpp \, \cos(\psi) \delta pp_k + (Rps \, \cos(\theta_k - \phi) + \delta Rps \, \cos(\theta_k + \phi - \phi) \\ & 2\alpha) \sin(\psi) \delta ps_k ---, \text{ therefor.} \end{array}$ 

(ORIGINALLY FILED SPECIFICATION DATED APRIL 24, 2006, PAGE 9 (PAGE 230 OF FW), LINES 16-17)

In Column 5, Lines 42-43, delete

 $\Delta aniso \ Rtrsv \sin(\psi) = (-Kac \cos(\phi) - Kas \sin(\psi)) \sin(2 - (\alpha - \phi))$  and insert -  $\Delta aniso \ Rtrsv \sin(\psi) = (-Kac \cos(\phi) - Kas \sin(\phi)) \sin(2(\alpha - \phi))$  --, therefor.

(ORIGINALLY FILED SPECIFICATION DATED APRIL 24, 2006, PAGE 9 (PAGE 230 OF FW), LINES 27-28)

The requested corrections are attached on Form PTO 1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In Fig. 2, Sheet 1 of 2, delete "Minimization of  $R_{trsv}(g_{ref})$ " and insert - - Minimization of  $|R_{trsv}(g_{ref})|^2$  - -, therefor.

 $\begin{array}{l} m_k = Rpp \cos(\psi) \delta pp_k + (Rps \cos(\theta_k - \phi) + \delta Rps \cos(\theta_k + \phi - 2\alpha)) \sin(\psi) \delta ps^k \end{array}$ In Column 5, Lines 22-23, delete "  $m_k = Rpp \cos(\psi) \delta pp_k + (Rps \cos(\theta_k - \phi) + \delta Rps \cos(\theta_k + \phi - \phi))$  $(2\alpha)\sin(\psi)\delta ps_{k}$ 

and insert - -

- -, therefor.

 $\triangle aniso Rtrsv \sin(\psi) = (-Kac \cos(\phi) - Kas \sin(\psi))\sin(2)$  $(\alpha - \phi)$ In Column 5, Lines 42-43, delete "  $\Delta$ aniso Rtrsv  $\sin(\psi) = (-Kac \cos(\phi) - Kas \sin(\phi)) \sin(2(\alpha - \phi))$ --, therefor. and insert - -

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